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In re Application of
JEONG et al.
Serial No.: 09/744,751
PCT No.: PCT/KR99/00414
Int. Filing Date: 30 July 1999
Priority Date: 31 July 1998
Attorney's Docket No.: 0217-0006
For: LIPID EMULSION AND SOLID LIPID
NANOPARTICLE AS A GENE OR DRUG CARRIER

DECISION ON PETITION

UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

The petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed 09 March 2001 in the above-captioned application is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

Applicants' statement that the "entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" meets the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3).

A review of the application file reveals that the basic national fee of \$500 and the required petition fee of \$620 have been paid and thus, the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been satisfied. Therefore, the request to revive the application abandoned under 35 U.S.C. 371(d) is granted as to the National stage in the United States of America.

On 01 June 2001, applicant filed an executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney along with the \$65 surcharge for filing the declaration after the thirty month period.

This application is being forwarded to the National Stage Processing Division of the Office of PCT Operations for continued processing. The 35 U.S.C. 371 date is 01 June 2001.

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